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Austin Title Industry Professional Elected President of Statewide Trade Association

AUSTIN – The Texas Land Title Association (TLTA), one of the state’s oldest trade associations, recently installed John Bruce, CTIP, as president of TLTA for the coming year. Bruce is Executive Vice President and Commercial Escrow Officer for Heritage Title Company in Austin. He will be TLTA’s 106th President.

“I’m honored to welcome John into this important position at our organization,” said Leslie Midgley, Executive Vice President and CEO of TLTA. “For more than 25 years, John has been an active and dedicated member of TLTA, chairing key committees, teaching continuing education classes, and serving with distinction on our board of directors. He brings valuable title industry expertise and experience to the role of president, and he will be an outstanding leader for our organization over the next year.”

Bruce currently serves on TLTA’s regulatory and finance committees, the Basic Manual Task Force, and he is a member of the TLTAPAC Board of Trustees. He is a past recipient of Texas Land Title Association’s Young Title Person of the Year award in 1992, and he was awarded TLTA’s Professional Excellence Award in 2010.

Bruce holds TLTA’s coveted Certified Title Insurance Professional designation. He started his title insurance career working in the file room and eventually grew through the ranks of a top national underwriter into a position as a multi-property, multi-state specialist in their national accounts division before moving to Austin in the early 1990s to join Heritage Title Company and solidify his reputation as a top commercial closer.

Bruce is a proud husband and father of four children, and he has volunteered extensively in his community, serving as president of his neighborhood HOA, Commissioner of the Cedar Park Planning and Zoning Commission, member of the Real Estate Council of Austin, and Chairman of the State of Texas Fair and Rodeo BBQ cook-off.

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About TLTA

Founded in 1908, the Texas Land Title Association (TLTA) is a statewide trade association representing the Texas title insurance industry and currently serving nearly 15,000 professionals involved in the safe and efficient transfer of real estate. In the course of their daily work, our membership serves over a million consumers each year.

With active members in 253 of 254 Texas counties, TLTA membership comprises over 85 percent of the title insurance agents and underwriters licensed to do business in Texas. For more information about TLTA, visit www.tlta.com.